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RICHMOND, VA., THURSDAY, APRIL 15, 1909.

THE WEATHER TO-DAY-Cloudy.

PRICE TWO CENTS.

KILLS THE CHILD

Wilbur Neurohr Given Medicine for Cold, Passes-Away in Five Hours.

yesterday morning, and the parents, W. Kent Vaughan, proprietor of

ere." Laying his hands on the doctor's shoulders. Vaughan broke down, and, it is said, admitted that his clerk had made the mistake. He afterwards called on the family, and there, in the little grocery store which Mr. Neurobr conducts, he broke down again and wept as if his heart would break. "To grater have given my own life," he sobbed, "than to have had this happen on me." Mr. Neurobr shook him by the hand, but as he said afterwards, it was well that the clerk did not come to see him.

Brother of Archie Vaughan.

Kent Vaughan is a brother to Archie Vaughan, who is now a fugitive from justice, under a charge of being implicated in the death of Mary Murphy, the simple Irish girl, who died from the effects of a criminal operation. Archie Vaughan disappeared before the crime became public, and he has not been heard from since.

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matters wherever they involved the property rights of tax-payers, especial post after a firm or deny the alleged mistake on the part of his clerk. He refused to discuss the case in any way, and, after a brief interview, closed the door in the reporter's face.

The case had not been reported to Coroner Taylor up to a late hour last night, though he admitted that, granting the circumstances to be true, the case was properly in his jurisdiction. All efforts to find out from the family physician whether he would report the matter to the Coroner failed because of his unwillingness to discuss the affair. It is safe to say, however, that the father will make the report, failing action on the part of the physician. It is safe too say, however, that the safe goes to the Coroner, and he finds evidence of criminal negliging action on the part of the physician. It is safe too say, however, that the father will make the report, failing failing action on the part of the physician. All efforts to find out from the family physician whether he would report the matter to the Coroner failed because of his unwillingness to discuss the affair. It is safe to say, however, that the father will make the report, failing action on the part of the physician. All efforts to find out from the family physician whether he would report the matter to the Coroner failed because of his unwillingness to discuss the affair. It is safe to say, however, that the father will make the report, failing action on the part of the physician. All efforts to find out from the family physician whether he would report the matter to the Coroner failed because of the part of the physician. All efforts a unimonally states.

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His Last Sleep.

"I don't want you. Uncle Willic," said the boy. "I want my mother," she drew closer to him, and the child, appeased by her presence, again fell asleep. this time to awaken no more. At 2 o'clock the parents awoke to administer the third dose, but they were unable to arouse the slumbering child. He slept peacefully, for the morphine had taken deep effect.

"My God, Tuffy"—they called him Tuffy—erled the father, "what's the matter? Why don't you answer me?" But Wilbur only murmured in his last sleep. No effort on their part availed They called in the first physician attending, and, he after working over tending, and, he after working over (Continued on Page Two—Column 4.)

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MISSOURI ALUMNI

Sends Greetings and Words of Cheer to University of Virginia.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

ST. LOUIS, MO., April 14.—The St. Louis alumni or the University of Virginia last night celebrated with a manquet at the University Club, the birthday of Jefferson, the "Father of the University of Virginia."

Judge Shepard Barciay, president of the University of Virginia."

Judge Shepard Barciay, president of the St. Louis alumni, announced that the Thomas Jefferson memorial endowment rund had been completed, that the University of Virginia was then celebrating that event with imposing ceremonies.

On behalf of the St. Louis chapter, the following message was sent to the alma mater:

"The St. Louis Alumni Society to the

Away in Five Hours.

NO REPORT MADE TO

POLICE OR CORONER

Doctors Labor in Vain to Save

Victim of Deadly Prescription.

Vaughan Weepingly Admits
to Parents His Clerk's

Sale of Fatal

Dose.

Decause of an alleged mistake on falled to follow what is said to be a simple prescription, given by Dr.

R. Angus Nichols, and substituted therefor a deadly poison. Wilbur Neurohr, four years and five months old, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Neurohr, of 619 Fifth Street, who was being treated merely for a slight cold and fever, slept his life away at 7:45 o'clock yesterday morning, and the parents, and W. Kent Vaughan, proprietor of tender to the falled. See the substituted of the street, who was being treated merely for a slight cold and fever, slept his life away at 7:45 o'clock yesterday morning, and the parents, and W. Kent Vaughan, proprietor of the collowing message was sent to the following message was sent to the alma mater:

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CLOSER RELATIONSHIP

gesterday morning, and the parents, and W. Kent Vaughan, proprietor of the Northside Pharmacy, Fifth and Baker Streets, where the alleged mistake was made by a clerk, are prostrated with grief.

The physician called in to attend the child treated it for cold and fever, and made out a prescription for quining and syrup, it is alleged, saying that the little boy would be better in the morning. The prescription, so Mr. Neurohr alleges, was taken to Vaughan's drug store and three filled out by a clerk.

Other Physicians Called.

As zoon as the family physician, the ambulance surgeon and two other doctors were called in, after the child was seen to be sinking, the mistake was discovered. The family physician, and congextion of the lungz—so as to be sure and then decided that it was a poisoning case.

He called in other physicians, and together they worked from 2 o'clock yesterday morning until 7.46, when the child passed away without ever regaining consciousness. Neither members of the family nor the physicians entertain the least doubt that morphine make a poisoning case.

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Avery Blount is Taken to New Orleans for Safekeeping.

AMITE CITY, LA. April 14.—State troops, which have been on constant duty for the past twenty-three days incident to the trial of Avery Blount for the Breeland assassinations, were dismissed to-night when Blount was taken to New Orleans for safekeeping. Blount will be brought back here Satsurday, when Judge Ellis is expected to pass finally on the former's motion for a new trial and to pronounce sentence in the event the motion is refused. Blount was found guilty, as charged, for Breeland's murder, the verdict carrying the death penalty.

in this section,

Has to Get Assistance Twice While Going to the Theatre.

FINALLY MAKESUSE OF SECRET SERVICE

Rides in Their Car Going and Uses Brother's Car in Returning-Audience Recognizes

ing—Audience Recognizes
Him and He Has to Acknowledge Applause of the House.

Two Young Women Kill Themselves on Cunard Liner Lucania. LIVERPOOL, April 14.—During the voyage of the Gunard Liner Lucania. LIVERPOOL, April 14.—During the which sailed from New York April 7. two young women, who had occupied a suicide by shooting. They were Margaret Clarke, twenty-nine years of age, who is believed to have been a resident of Brooklyn, and Annie Miller, wenty-two years of age, whose resident of Brooklyn, and Annie Miller, wenty-two years of age, whose resident of Brooklyn, and Annie Miller, wenty-two years of age, whose residence is unknown.

The motive for the double suicide has not been ascertained, and, as the bodies were buried at sea, there will be no inquest.

Miss Clarke shot herself Thursday, the second day out, while in her cabin, year, fond of the theatre, and reof "lf I Were King," by E. H. Soth-ern, at Dalys Theatre. The President is very fond of the theatre, and re-turning from New Haven to-morrow afternoon, again will stop in New York to attend an evening perform-ance before leaving for Washington, where he is due to arrive Friday morn-

The President's trip from Washing and father as far as Philadelphia, where she changed cars to return to her studies. Robert Taft is returning to Yale.

Selects Summer Capital.
President Taft was particularly pleased to-day that the problem of from Washington, the new summer captial will be at Woodbury Point, Beverly,
Mass. The President is looking forhicago,
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Hunt Club. at Hamilton. The praise
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norm soon after the first of June, A
number of the Senate leaders have expressed to him the opinion that the

sioner to take the testimony of Dustin Farnum, the actor, to be used in behalf of Katherine Clemmons Gould in her suit for separation from her husband, Howard Gould.

The deposition will be taken in Chicago on April 21 and 22. Dustin Farnum, as has heretofore been brought out in the suit, was a guest at a hotel in Lynchburg, Va., when Mrs. Gould was there.

ICE IS MOVING

Niagara River Is Turbulent, But Dan-ger Belleved to Be Past. NIAGARA FALLS, N. Y., April 14.— The ice jam in the Niagara River, be-fore the Falls, has begun to move toward Lake Ontario, The river is turbulent, but all dan-ger is believed to have past.

FIRE AT ELYRIA

Cause of Configration.

ELYRIA, O., April 14.—The Elyria Block, a 'live-story business building, the American Theatre and a livery stable were destroyed by fire to-day, which damaged the Hotel Andwur and several adjoining buildings. The total damage is estimated at \$100,000. No one was infared.

Cleveland was called upon for apparatus to assist in fighting the flames. It was several hours before the fire was under control.

The fire started in the Elks' lodge rooms, on the fifth floor of the Elyria Block. One theory has it that a lighted cigar stub carelessiy thrown in a corner of the lodge room during a "smoker" given by the Elks' lodge last night, caused the fire. The fire chief says the fire was started by crossed electric wires upon the roof of the Elyria Block.

CHICLES AT SEA

SUICIDE AT SEA

GREAT FOREST FIRE

Muny Haciendas and Scores of Villages in Mexico Are Destroyed.

MEXICO CITY, April 14.—According to telegraphic advices to-day a great forest ire is raging in the Zitacuar Mountains in Michaecan, Hundreds of to telegraphic advices to-day a great forest fire is raging in the Zitacuaro ent. The trip the President, the President, the President was at 6:37 P. M., aft, with their of his school-Easter guests of his school-Easter guests on the Twenty-driven to the Captain Archites senior military and the party. Miss moolmate from the mother philadelphia, is to return to the fire and senior military and the party. Miss moolmate from the fire mother philadelphia, is to return to the fire mother philadelphia, and the fire mother philadelphia, and the fire mother philadelphia, and the fire mother philadelphia philadelphia philadelphia, and the fire mother philadelph

LEMOYNE CAPTURED

Defrauded Mine Owner by Pretending to Manufacture Real Diamonds.
PARIS, April 14.—Henri Lemoyne, who gained considerable notoriety last year by trying to prove that he could manufacture diamonds, was arrested here to-day.

Lemoyne was arrested on charges of having secured money from an English diamond mine-owner on false pretenses by asserting that he could manufacture diamonds. He was placed on trial, but fled just before the final hearing of the case against him. He was sentenced to ten years' imprisonment in default. This was in January, since when he has been missing.

ATTACKS SHERMAN ACT

SAVANNAH, GA., April 14.—Samuel B. Adams, attorney for the defense, cocupied the entire day's session of the United States court to-day with an argument on the demurrer in the case of the United States against the officers of the American Naval Stores Company, the so-called "turpentine trust," indicted for alleged violation of the Sherman anti-trust act. The attorney attacked the Sherman act and quoted former President Roosevelt, President Taft and former Senator Hoar in defense of his position.

LIQUOR MEN WIN

Court Quashes Affidavits and Warran

Starting at Norfolk, Secretary Winthrop Will Visit Them All.
WASHINGTON, April 14.—Within
about two weeks Assistant Secretary
Beekman Winthrop, of the Navy Department, expects to inspect the Norfolk navy yard. Later he will inspect
the various yards throughout the country, probably reaching the Pacific
coast during this aummor and the
more southern yards late in the fail.
The object is to acquire a thorough
knowledge of the working operations
of the yards under the reorganization
plan now in force.

MISS WILSON'S DEBUT

Affairs During Reconstruction Days in South Carolina. Was a Major-General in the Spanish-American War-In the Senate,

OLUMBIA, S. C., April 14.—General Matthew Calbraith Butler, of Edgefield, one of the last of the Confederate cavalry generals, died For some weeks General Butler had been ill, and had been gradually growweaker, and for several days it firms had been known that the end was

complication of diseases, induced by an old wound. He lost a leg at Brandy

they would ask for protection for the industries of their States. Senator Stone speke in favor of his program for independence for the Filipinos after fifteen years and absolute free trade with the islands during that period. Senator Foster was opposed to free trade with any of the colonies. Neither of these Senators, it was apparent, could have obtained a majority of the could have obtained a majority of the Democrats for their proposition had a vote been taken.

Only on one question was the con-

Only on one question was the conference agreed, and that was the income tax amendment. The conference was adjourned until Friday, as all of those present agreed that they were not sufficiently acquainted with the bill to pass judgment intelligently upon it.

While the Democrats were in session notices of the meeting of the Finance Committee to-morrow were delivered to the minority members of that committee, in view of all the criticisms made of the tariff bill as amended by the Finance Committee of the Senate, particularly the observation that the bill will not produce sufficient revenues for the country's need, Senator Aldrich will undertake on Monday to satisfactorily explain the revenue feature of the measure. As the Femocrats will ask that the bill lay over until Monday, Mr. Aldrich does not intend to make to-morrow the statement of which he has already given notice, but will present row the statement of which he has already given notice, but will presen a far more elaborate argument on Monday than he had intended.

TO SPREAD THE DOCTRINE

Merchants' Association of New York Favors a Tariff Commission.

NEW YORK, April 14—In order to spread the sentiment for the creation of a permanent tariff commission, the Merchants' Association of New York is sending out subscription blanks to raise funds for an education campaign, enclosing a circular adopted by the executive committee of the general committee of one hundred, appointed at the recent national tariff convention at Indianapolis.

A letter of the Merchants' Association, accompanying the subscription blank and circular, declares that there is a splendid chance for success at this special session of Congress, provided you co-operate quickly in communicating with members of Congress or aking financially, and in Interesting your friends to do likewise.

REINTRODUCES BILL

Drughter of Secretary of Agriculture
Appears in Concert.

NEW YORK, April 14.—Under the patronage of Mrs. Wilharm H. Taft, Mrs. James S. Sherman, Mrs. Philander C. Knox and a number of well-known, Agus york women, Miss Flora Wilson, daughter of James Wilson, Secretary of Agriculture, appeared in concert at the Plaza Hotel to-night for the first time since her return after four years of yocal study abroad. Miss Wilson has grand opera ambitions.

Senstor Taliaferro insists on His Measure Regarding Naval Stores.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 14.—Santor Taliaferro, of Florids, has again introduced his bill to prevent the manufacture and sale of adulterated, missistance in the property of the part of the property of the patronage of Mrs. Wilson has grand opera ambitions.

WILL HASTEN TO HUNT

Roosevelt Will Not Stop to Be Entertained at Mombusa. Mr. Roosevelt Will Not Stop to Be Entertsined at Morobasa.

MOMBASA, BRITISH EAST AFRICA. April 14.—A cablegram received here from Theodore Roosevelt, declining an invitation to attend a public reception and a dinner, makes it evident that he has decided not to stop in Monbasa. Therefore there is much disappointment here. Mr. Roosevelt asks in this message that he be met at the pier by his special train and conveyed direct to the ranch of Sir Alfred Pass, on the Athi River, where he will be Sir Alfred's guest for the first fortnight's stay in the protectorate.

The steamer Admiral is expected here at daybreak of April 21. At present the monsoon is blowing vigorously.

There has been a sudden outbreak of smallpox at Nairobi. Forty deaths have occurred in the quarantine camp, and three cases are reported from Ju Ja ranch, the property of George McMillian, who will be Mr. Roosevelt's host during a portion of his stay in this section. Major Louis L. Seaman has returned here from a hunting trip up country. He says the sport is excellent and game prospects good. Major Seaman is about to leave for Uganda on an elephant hunting expedition.

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Three lions have been interfering with the night work at the Makindu station on the railroad. It is believed that the plans of the Roosevelt party contemplate Kermit Roosevelt's spending a night at this station. The local police authorities have taken measures to strengthen some of the out-stations on the northern boundary of Kenya province, where the inhabitants of the wilderness country north of the protectorate have been showing signs of unrest.

A number of continental business firms have forwarded various presents, including champague, ammunition, books, etc., to Mr. Roosevelt here. It is not believed that Mr. Roosevelt will accept any of these offerings.

MISSOURI PROHIBITION

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Spanish War Veferna Also.

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bill. Proposals

GOVERNOR SMITH ON RACE PROBLEM

Addresses Twelfth Annual Conference for Education in the South.

SAYS NEGROES NEED WHITE INFLUENCE

President Ogden Delivers His Annual Address and Highly Praises the Work Done in Virginia and North Carolina-Dr. Mitchell Also Speaks.

A TLANTA, GA., April 14.—The twelfth annual conference for ducation in the South was formally opened to-night when the conference was welcomed to Atlanta and Georgia by Governor Hoke Smith and listened to the annual address of the president, R. C. Ogden, of New York, as well as a paper on "The American Spirit in Education," by Dr. S. C. Mitchell, president of the

A complication of diseases, induced by an old wound. He lost a leg at Brandy Station, and after recovery continued to serve throughout the war. His wound had not bothered him up to a few months ago.

General Butler was born in 1836 of a distinguished South Carolina family. He served with distinction throughout the Cityl War, rising from capitain to major-general of cavalry in the Confederate service.

After the war General Butler took a prominent part in the movement to reclaim the State to the Democratic party, and aided greatly in Hampion's victory in the gubernatorial race of 1876. In 1876 General Butler was elected to the United States Senate and served three terms.

Spanish War Veteran Also.

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MISSOURI PROHIBITION

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